



NEWSLETTER APRIL 2018

The aim of this newsletter is to provide an outline of news and events that may be of interest to those in the adult protection field. The content will not necessarily be adult protection specific in every case but the theme will be around issues related to the agenda.

NAPC ACTIVITY UPDATE

Working with a section 5 agency around their eLearning and face to face learning and development.

Responded to AWI consultation

Presented to Credit Unions around financial harm and Section 10

Represented the AP community at the Human Trafficking Oversight Group

Represented the AP community alongside SWS and Convener representatives at the thematic scrutiny reference group

Attended SCR Guidance working group

Informed research proposal around financial harm

EVENTS & TRAINING

[Tackling Abuse: The Abusive Behaviour and Sexual Harm \(Scotland\) Act 2016 and the Domestic Abuse Bill](#)

[International Hoarding Conference, Edinburgh, 4th October 2018](#) Key objectives; Review ICD-11 mental health classification for Hoarding Disorder, Explore treatments and interventions – what works and what doesn't work, Share multi-agency best practice – case study, Discuss the benefits of developing a Hoarding Policy and Guidelines and Learn more about fire, safety and environmental issues relating to severely cluttered spaces

[Care of Older People in Scotland 2018: 6th Annual Conference, 20th Nov 2018 Edinburgh](#)

[Living with Dementia in Scotland: Understanding best practice in policy, prevention and preparation, 12th Sep 2018, Edinburgh](#)

[Next steps for integrated health and social care in Scotland - governance, workforce planning and improving delivery of care, 27.6.18. Edinburgh](#)

[Social Work Scotland Annual Conference and Exhibition](#) 'Confidence. Commitment. Collaboration' 13-14 June 2018, Crieff.

NEWS

[**Mandatory disclosure checks for youth sport coaches proposed, BBC 25.4.18.**](#)

[**Safeguarding adults review slams ‘confused’ enquiry into learning-disabled men’s injuries,**](#) Community Care, 23.4.18.

[**Mental Welfare Commission publishes twelve new local visit reports - 18 April 2018**](#)

[**Americans going abroad for illegal heroin treatment, BBC, 11 April 2018**](#)

[**PRSB sets information sharing standards for long-term patients**](#)

[**One bad night raises brain levels of Alzheimer’s molecule, research shows, 10.4.18. The Herald**](#)

[**Council cuts putting older Scots at risk**](#) Age Scotland says cutting services such as Meals on Wheels and exercise classes for older people is adding to Scotland's social care burden, TFN, 5.4.18

[**Meals on wheels service is phased out, BBC, 30.3.08.**](#)

[**Human Trafficking and Exploitation Newsletter**](#)

[**The barber helping men with dementia**](#)

FINANCIAL HARM, CAPABILITY & SCAMS UPDATE

[**Social worker in England struck off after stealing thousands from service user,**](#) Community Care, 24.4.18

[**FIFA 2018 World Cup Alert**](#)

[**Banking made clear Quick,**](#) Barclays Bank

[**Magazine Advertise Debt Alert**](#)

[**Online Marketplace Fraud Advice for Sellers**](#)

[**SCAM - TV Licence Refund Notification**](#)

CONSULTATIONS

[**Establishing a statutory Appropriate Adult service in Scotland**](#)

[**Adults with Incapacity Reform**](#)

[**Engagement Process of the Draft Suicide Prevention Action Plan 2018**](#)

[Consultation on draft regulations transferring the mental health tribunal for Scotland to the Scottish Tribunals](#)

RESOURCES

[Organisational Duty of Candour guidance March 2018](#)

[Elderly Foot Care: Common Foot Problems in the Elderly](#)

[The Power Threat Meaning Framework Overview](#) (2018) A Conceptual Alternative to Psychiatric Classification in Relation to Emotional Distress and Troubled or Troubling Behaviour, British Psychological Society

[The Mindmate App](#) provides Fun and Interactive Games to Stimulate the User's Cognitive Abilities Based On [World-Leading Research](#). A carefully curated set of games to challenge 4 core cognitive areas for individuals living with memory problems, Alzheimer's, other forms of dementia or traumatic brain injury.

Significant Case/Safeguarding Adults Reviews

[West Sussex Safeguarding Adult Review In respect of Matthew Bates and Gary Lewis](#)

[Oxfordshire Safeguarding Adults Board Safeguarding Adult Review Adult C Overview Report](#)

[East Sussex Safeguarding Adults Board Safeguarding Adults Review: Adult A](#)

LATEST Free to Access Articles, Reports and Strategies

[More than half of heroin/morphine misuse death hotspots in England and Wales are seaside locations](#), ONS, 4.4.18.

[Measuring National Well-being: Quality of life in the UK, 2018](#)

[A Portrait of Care](#) In January 2018, Iriss asked the sector to share its good practice stories with the aim of building a valuable resource that could influence, and possibly change, public perceptions and understanding of what it means to work in social services in Scotland.

[External Evaluation of the SAFE AND SOUND PROJECT Report](#) prepared for Shelter Scotland. The aim of the Safe and Sound Project is to reduce the risk of homelessness for young people by facilitating family mediation and the safe return home for those who have run away

[Thinking Differently Preparing today to implement future dementia treatments](#) March 2018, Alzheimer's Research UK

[Reforming Social Care Time for Radical Change](#) (2018) Robin Jackson, Centre for Welfare Reform

LATEST Subscription Only Articles, Research, Reports and Books

[Working with complexity: Evidence Review](#) (2018), RiPFA

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